Hay **Markets**

Regional Hay Thursday, Dec. 24 Report supplied by PDA

(All hay No. 2 and better, prices paid by the dealers at the farm and per ton.)

Hay and Straw unevenly steady. Alfalfa 95.00-110, few 120, few down to 80; Mixed hay 75.00-85, few down to 65.00; Timothy hay 70.00-80.00; Straw 40.00-50.00; Mulch 40.00-45.00.

Good's Hay Leola, Pa.

Wednesday, Dec. 23 Report supplied by PDA 72 Loads Hay and 15 Loads Straw.

Alfalfa 104.00-151.00; Mixed hay 74.00-154, bulk 95.00-130; Timothy hay 87.00-128.00; Grass, individual 91.60; Straw 53.00-70, few 90.00; Ear Corn, 7 loads 68.00-83.00; Corn Fodder, 2 loads 57.00 & 68.00; Oats, 1 load @ 2.40 per bu.

New Holland Hay

Monday, Dec. 28 Report supplied by auction 189 loads; market steady on all

grades of hay and straw. #1 Alfalfa 125.00-157.00, fair quality 100.00-125.00, few moldy or rain-damaged 80.00-100.00; #1 Mixed 110.00-140.00, fair 100.00-110.00; #1 Turnothy 110.00-125.00, fair 95.00-110.00, two Stubble Hay

82.00 & 86.00; two Clover 107.00 & 133.00; few loads of poor quality in all types down to 62.00; Straw clean and bright 65.00-81.00, offcolor 50.00-60.00; Ear Corn 81.00-94.00; Fodder 36.00-58.00; Firewood 45.00-55.00 pickup load, one bigger load 105.00.

Pa. Grain

Monday, Dec. 28
Report supplied by PDA
Compared with last Monday's market for Southeastern, Central and South Central Pa.: Corn steady to 2 cents higher: Wheat strong to 5 cents higher; Barley unevenly steady; Oats mostly steady to strong; New Ear Corn steady, spots to \$3 higher.

Prices paid delivered to dealers dock - (All prices per bushel, except Ear Corn per ton.)

Southeastern Pa. Corn No. 2-y range 2.60-2.85, tew reported 2.45, average 2.68; Wheat No. 2 range 3.25-3.75, average 3.50; Barley No. 3 range 2.00-2.30, average 2.20; Oats No. 2 range 1.95-2.20, average 2.08; Soybeans No. 1 range 5.57-5.88, average 5.75; Grain Sorghum No. 2 range 2.10, average 2.10; New Ear Corn range 60.00-75.00, average 67.85. Central Pa.

Corn No. 2-y range 2.45-2.70, average 2.58; Wheat No. 2 range 3.15-3.70, few reported 3.95, average 3.49; Barley No. 3 range 2.00-2.25, average 2.14; Oats No. 2 range 1.60-2.00, average 1.88; Soybeans No. 1 few reported range 5.50, average 5.50; Grain Sorghum No. 2 range 2.20-2.70, average 2.38; Buckwheat range 9.00-10.00. average 9.50; New Ear Corn range 54.00-72.00, average 63.33.

South Central Pa.

Corn No. 2-y range 2.45-2.60, average 2.54; Wheat No. 2 range 3.10-3.40, few reported 3.75, average 3.35; Barley No. 3 range 2.00-2.20, few reported 2.60, average 2.23; Oat No. 2 range 1.90-2.10, average 1.98; New Ear Corn range 55.00-70.00, average 62.00-

Western Pa.

Corn No. 2-y range 2.35-2.70, average 2.51; Wheat No. 2 range 3.00-3.15, average 3.07; Barley No. 3 range 2.15-2.20, average 2.18; Oats No. 2 range 1.85-2.00, average 1.93; Buckwheat range 8.50, average 8.50.

Southeastern, Central & South Central Summary

Corn No. 2-y range 2.45-2.85, average 2.62; Wheat No. 2 range 3.10-3.75, average 3.47; Barley No. 3 range 2.00-2.25, average 2.19; Oats No. 2 range 1.60-2.20, average 1.97; New Ear Corn range 54.00-75.00, average 65.10.

Livestock market and auction news

Frederick Co. Hay

Buckeystown, Md. Thursday, Dec. 24

Report supplied by auction Three loads Alfalfa 82.00-150.00; three Mixed 64.00-112.00; five Timothy 88.00-120.00; one Timothy-Alfalfa 97.00; four Alfalfa-Orchardgrass 62.00-139.00; four Straw 40.00-46.00; one green Firewood \$60 cord.

Regular sale will be held Thursday, Dec. 31.

G&M Livestock

Monday, Dec. 14 Duncansville, Pa.

Report supplied by auction Compared to last week, market report steers-higher, cows-sharply higher, hogs-higher.

STEERS: High Choice and Prime 59.00-61.50; Good to Choice 54.00-59.00; Standard to Good 50.00-

54.00; Utility 46.00-50.00. HEIFERS: High Choice and Prime 56.00-60.10; Good to Choice 50.00-56.00; Standard 44.00-50.00;

Utility 38.00-44.00. FEEDERSTEERS: Good to Choice 300-500 lbs. 48.00-56.00.

BULLS: 1200-1706 lbs. 52.00-59.75; 900-1200 lbs. 48.00-55.00.

COWS: High Choice Prime 46.00-48.75; Good 44.00-46.00; Utility 42.00-44.00; Cutters 38.00-42.00; Canners Down to 35.00.

CALVES: High 90.00-96.00; Good to Choice 70.00-90.00; Standard to Good 50.00-70.00; Utility 40.00-50.00.

FARM CALVES: Hol. Bulls 80.00-98.00.

HOGS: 200-240 lbs. 42.50-45.75; 190-290 lbs. 40.00-42.50. SOV'S: 37.00-42.50.

BOARS: 30.00-37.75. LAMBS: 38.00-49.00.

Belknap Auction Dayton, Pa. Wednesday, Dec. 23 Report supplied by PDA

CATTLE 39. Compared with last week's market, slaughter cows mostly \$4 higher. Utility and Commercial slaughter cows 39.50-43, Cutters 37.50-39.50, Canner and Low Cutters 32.75-37.50. Few Medium Frame #1, 765-865 lbs. feeder steers 43.50-45.50. Few Medium Frame #1, 340-380 lbs. feeder heifers 34.00-39.

CALVES 76. Individual Good vealer at 80.00, Standard and Good 90-120 lbs. 45.00-65; 65-85 lbs. 35.00-49, few Utility 40-90 lbs. 20.00-32. Farm Calves: Hol. Bulis 100-130 lbs. 55.00-87; few Hol. Heifers 100-105 lbs. 73.00-76.

HOGS 94. Barrows and gults strong to 50 cents higher. US No. 1-2 215-230 lbs. barrows and gilts 42.25-42.50, No. 1-3 195-255 lbs. 40-41.50, few No. 1-3 180-190 lbs. 35.00-38, few 120-155 lbs. 33.50-34. Sows about steady. US No. 1-3 240-525 lbs. sows 36.00-42. Individual Boar at 30.00.

FEEDER PIGS 40. Few US No. 1-3 20-30 lbs. feeder pigs 11.00-15.00 per head, few No. 1-3 35-45 lbs. 26.00-27, few No. 1-3 60-90 lbs. 29.00-31 per head.

SHEEP 1. Not enough of any one grade to establish a market.

Middleburg Auction Middleburg, Pa. Tuesday, Dec. 22

Report supplied by PDA

CATTLE 149. Compared with last week's market, slaughter cows \$2-\$3 higher. Few Choice 2-4, 1120-1340 lbs. slaughter steers 59-63.35, Good 55-58.50, few Standard 50.25-56.85. Few Good slaughter heifers 54.00-55. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 38.50-42.50, couple 43.60, Cutters 36.75-39.50,

Canner & Low Cutters (few) 34.25-36. Couple Good slaughter bullocks 54.25 & 56. Few Yield Grade #1, 1200-1800 lbs. slaughter bulls 44.25-52.75. Large Frame #2, 330-750 lbs. feeder steers 40-47.50.

CALVES 150. Vealers about steady. Few Choice vealers 81.00-95, few Good 70.00-80, Standard & Good 70-100 lbs. 45.00-55, few Utility 60-80 lbs. 40.00-45. Farm Calves: Hol. Bulls 85-130 lbs. 55.00-95; Hol. Heifers 75-160 lbs. 65.00-

HOGS 434. Barrows and gilts steady to 50 cents lower. US No. 1-2 210-235 lbs. barrows and gilts 44.50-46.10, No. 1-3 190-250 lbs. 44-44.50, No. 2-3 225-275 lbs. 39.00-44. US No. 1-3 310-540 lbs. sows 35.00-37, couple 40. Few Boars 29-31.50. TUES. 12-

HOGS 109. US No. 1-2 barrows and gilts 42.10-42.50, No. 1-3 41.85-42.10, No. 2-3 39.75-40.10.

FEEDER PIGS 180. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 16.50-27.50 per head, lot 65 lbs. at 42.00 per head.

SHEEP 5. Not enough of any one grade to establish a market.

New Holland Horse

Monday, Dec. 28 **New Holland Sales Stables** Report supplied by auction

Reported receipts of 160 head of horses, mules, and ponies. Market: stronger.

Mules 675.00-975.00; Better horses 550.00-700.00; Driving horses 350.00-750.00; Riding horses 350.00-475.00; Lightweight killers 325.00-475.00; Heavyweight killers 525.00-725.00; Mares 35.00-125.00; Colts 15.00-35.00; Geldings 35.00-125.00; Larger ponies 150.00-290.00.

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